



Mr. Keith Harris

January 31, 1923 - January 25, 2018

Coleman Funeral Home of Oxford

Mr. Keith E. Harris, 94, passed away Thursday, January 25, 2018, at Yalobusha General Nursing Home in Water Valley, MS. He lived in Indiana most of his life and moved to Mississippi several years ago to be closer to his children. The family will have a private memorial service at a later date. Coleman Funeral Home of Oxford is in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Harris retired from Fruehauf Trailer Company in Fort Wayne, IN, and was a farmer most of his life. He enjoyed fishing and hunting. He also enjoyed getting together with the Bippus (Indiana) Lions Club at their annual whole-hog sausage making event. Summer time included spending time at the 4-H fairs while his children participated in the various events. He attended Bethesda United Methodist Church and First Christian Church while living in Indiana. Mr. Harris was a veteran of World War II, serving overseas in the United States Army Air Force.

Mr. Harris leaves behind his wife of 71 years, Geneva Harris of Water Valley; two daughters, Marcia Hawkins of Water Valley, and Linda (Jesse) Wade of Abbeville, MS; one son, David Harris of Oxford, MS; 5 grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

Mr. Harris was preceded in death by his parents, Otto Harris and Zella Harris; one son, Kenneth Harris; and one daughter, Sharon Harris.

Online condolences may be left on the Tribute Wall at www.colemanfuneralhome.com.

Tribute Wall

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“ So many memories of such a great man with a great sense of humor! Today, I was thinking of a time we/I drove to The Golden Coral-his treat (at his insistence). We had gone to the VA for an appointment before eating. He rode shotgun and Geneva was in the back seat. He gave me directions at every stop light and/or stop sign from Huntington to Fort Wayne. Every time, he told me which way to go, and what we would find ahead! Geneva would calmly say "Keith, she knows where she's going, she lived in Fort Wayne for more than forty years". He winked and said, "Did you say something back there?" She would say, "For pity sakes!"



I am so sorry for your loss Geneva, Marcia, Dave, Linda and all the rest of the Harris Family. Keith will be missed - there will never be another!

Love, JaneE

Jane E Laws - February 01, 2018 at 01:23 AM

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“ My thoughts and prayers go out to all the Harris family at this sad time... Mary Ransom, Huntington, Indiana.

Mary Ransom - January 30, 2018 at 11:35 AM